

# Stuttgart Community Post

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## BOSS Offers Opportunities For All

The local chapter of Better Opportunities for Single Servicemembers has reorganized and returned. The program's activities offer ways to get single service members and civilians more involved in the community. The Army Community Services and Family Support Center developed BOSS in 1989 in response to a tasking to create programs for single soldiers. Originally designed with an emphasis on off-duty recreation, the program has expanded to include all aspects of a soldier's life. The program is based on the pillars of recreation and leisure, well-being and community service.

The Stuttgart-area BOSS is hosting the Sweetheart Ball on Feb. 14 starting at 10 p.m. in the Patch Community Club. Tickets are on sale now for \$5, or you can purchase your ticket at the door for \$7. The event is open to all ID cardholders over the age of 18. Dress for this event is casual. For tickets call 421-2677/civ. 0711-729-2677, or e-mail [boss@6asg.army.mil](mailto:boss@6asg.army.mil). For more info about the BOSS program visit [www.armymwr.com/portal/recreation/single](http://www.armymwr.com/portal/recreation/single).

## Prayer Breakfast Held On Patch

To commemorate the National Day of Prayer, the 6th Area Support Group will hold a prayer breakfast Feb. 5 at 7 a.m. in the Swabian Special Events Center. The guest speaker is the 6th ASG Commander, Col. Larry Stubblefield. Tickets are available through the Chaplain's office or at the door. A donation of \$5 is suggested. For more info call 430-5000/civ. 0711-680-5000.

## SECTION I OFFICIAL INFO

Numbers To Know...

### For emergencies call:

Ambulance	0711-680-116
Fire	0711-680-117
Police	0711-680-114
MP Desk	0711-680-5262
Poison Control	06371-86-7070

or 089-19240

From DSN phone call 116 or 117

German Ambulance/Police 110

German Fire Department 112

### For non-emergencies call:

American Red Cross	07031-15-818
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Emergency Action Center	0711-729-2601
Family Support Center	0711-680-7176
Housing Maintenance	0711-680-115
Military Police	0711-680-5262
Road/Weather Conditions	0711-729-2474

## Report Suspicious Incidents

Community members who encounter a suspicious incident are reminded not to commit themselves to do anything and to ask for time to think over any offers. Remember all descriptions and details about locations, people, conversations, vehicles and license plates. Report the incident immediately by calling the Stuttgart Military Intelligence Office at 421-2206/civ. 0711-729-2206.

## POSH Refresher Mandatory

All Department of Army civilian employees and any manager who supervises civilian employees are required to attend refresher training in the Prevention of Sexual Harassment each fiscal year. The course will be offered only through April. Class dates are: Jan. 29, 10:30 to 11:30 and 1 to 2 p.m. in the Patch Community Club; Feb. 4, 1 to 2 p.m. in the Kelley Theater; Feb. 20, 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 2 p.m. in the Patch Community Club. More class dates will be

posted as they approach. For info call 421-2649/civ. 0711-729-2649.

### **COLA Survey Deadline Extended**

The deadline for service members, Department of Defense civilian personnel and their spouses to complete the Cost of Living Allowance survey has been extended to Jan. 30. Taking part in this short survey helps ensure that community members living overseas receive an accurate COLA, which could mean an increase in the current COLA amount. Every unit should aim towards 100-percent participation. The stronger the participation, the more accurate the COLA will be. To complete the survey, access the 266th Finance Web site at [www.266.fc.hq.usareur.army.mil/266fincom/COLASurvey/COLA.htm](http://www.266.fc.hq.usareur.army.mil/266fincom/COLASurvey/COLA.htm).

### **Be Aware Of Suspicious Packages**

Community members need to be aware of suspicious mail and packages. Characteristics to look for include an unusual or unknown place of origin, no return address, an excessive amount of postage, threatening messages, an abnormal or unusual size, oily stains or powder, incorrect spelling of common words, differing return address and postmarks and peculiar odors such as almond, dried grass or peach. Never touch or move a suspicious package or letter, and wash hands immediately if you suspect the package may be contaminated. Immediately report incidents by calling the Stuttgart Military Intelligence Office at 421-2206/civ. 0711-729-2206.

### **Speed Limit Increase For NTVs**

United States Army, Europe, has announced that the speed limit for non-tactical vehicles under 7,000 pounds gross vehicle weight designed to carry less than 12 passengers (for example, cargo trucks, carryalls, minivans, panel trucks, sedans) has been increased from 65 miles per hour/105 kilometers per hour to 74 mph/120 kph on Autobahns and highways. All other classes of vehicles remain unchanged.

## **SERVICES**

### **On The Go With The USO**

There's no reason to slow down just because the holidays are over. Don't let the cold temperatures keep you inside. Stop in today to pick up the January/February Kiosk. Flyers for upcoming overnight trips are also available.

Coming Feb. 13 to 17, the USO offers a four-day trip to Budapest, Vienna and Salzburg. The USO heads to Venice for Carnival Feb. 28.

There are plenty of day trips in January and February. If you're looking for a romantic night out on Valentine's Day, join the USO for dinner at Schloss Weintenburg.

The USO would like to thank BOSS and the Stuttgart clan for their help in donating and wrapping toys for the annual Christmas toy run Dec. 14. It was a huge success. All of us at the USO wish all of you a very happy New Year.

### **Resolve To Get Fit In 2003**

Come out and enjoy "breakfast" and "lunch" with the Fitness 2003 Crew. Patch Fitness Center is offering Step Extreme on Mondays, Kickboxing on Wednesdays and Cardio/Sculpting on Fridays, 6 to 7 a.m. There's also Cardio/Pump on Tuesdays and Kickboxing Plus on Thursdays, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Come join the crew and take the challenge. Each class is \$3 or \$30 for 12 classes. The first class is complimentary. For info call Bobbie at 430-5332/civ. 0711-680-5332.

### **Patch Thrift Shop Welcomes You**

Patch Thrift Shop is off to a great start this year, with many new items available. Why not come in and see what we have? We welcome consignment items as well. The shop's next open Saturday date will be Feb. 1. It is located in the lower level of Washington Center and is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Consignments accepted until 1 p.m. For more info call 430-5510/civ. 0711-680-5510.

### **Upcoming Closings and Changes**

**The Installation Coordinator's Office on Kelley Barracks** has relocated to the second floor, rooms 239 and 240 in building 3315. The new phone numbers are: Tyroll Stearn, 421-2345/civ. 0711-729-2345; Tracey Simpson, 421-2322/civ. 0711-729-2322; and SNAP Coordinator, Kaye Williams, 421-2202/civ. 0711-729-2202. The fax number remains the same, 421-2398/civ. 0711-729-2398.

## **SECTION II ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Fitness Fair Coming To Patch**

The annual Health, Fitness and Wellness Fair is Feb. 8, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Patch Barracks Fitness Center gym. Services include blood pressure and cholesterol screening, cardiac health and nutritional counseling and body fat analysis.

There will also be a running shoe clinic, an aerobathon and a martial arts marathon. The event is free and open to the public. Volunteers are still needed to help set up and man stations. For info or to volunteer call Michelle Saylor at 430-4073/civ. 0711-680-4073.

### Florida Straße Construction Begins

The Theater Systems Integration Office and Siemens will begin construction on Florida Straße starting Jan. 27 to start trenching each home. The main trench will extend down one side of Florida Straße with a smaller trench going to each home. Initially, Siemens will trench through the yard. They need to take up the grass to dig the trenches but will replace the grass when trenching is complete. Work will begin at 8 a.m. and will end by 6 p.m. each day. No driveways will be blocked without TSIO approval. Weekend work is not anticipated, but may be necessary. Residents need to ensure that children are aware of the construction and its associated dangers and should keep pets secured during construction hours. For more info call Tara Pyne at 430-6552/civ. 0711-680-6552 or Pierre DeLuca at 430-6477/civ. 0711-680-6477.

### Voluntary Leave Sought

Kay Jarmel, an employee of the 38th Personnel Support Battalion, in Vilseck, Germany, is an approved leave recipient under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program and is in need of annual leave donations. Due to complications from major cancer surgery, she will exhaust all of her sick and annual leave. The length of her incapacitation is unknown. Should you wish to donate annual leave, complete a leave donation form and fax to Julie Wozniak at 475-7920/civ. 0964-183-7920.

Tina Washington, an employee of the 414th Base Support Battalion, in Hanau, Germany, is an approved leave recipient under the Voluntary Leave Transfer Program. She will require annual leave donations for medical treatment. The length of her incapacitation is approximately 134 hours. Should you wish to donate annual leave, complete a leave donation form and fax to Dahlia Graham at 322-8172/civ. 06181-88-8172.

The leave donation form can be obtained through the local civilian personnel office or online at [www.opm.gov](http://www.opm.gov) use search word "opm forms." The form number is OPM 630-A.

### Call For Hall Of Fame Nominees

United States Army, Europe, is seeking nominations for entry into the Ranger Hall of Fame. Nominees must have been separated from

the Armed Forces for three years at the time of nomination, served in a Ranger unit in combat, or graduated from the U.S. Army Ranger School. Nominations for honorary inductions can be made for those who do not meet the eligibility criteria. Honorary induction is made in light of the candidate's extraordinary contributions to the Ranger community. The deadline is Feb. 19.

Nomination packets can be mailed to 1st PC AEUPE-PSSD-PAD, Unit 29058, APO AE 09081. For more info call Capt. John Scalia at 379-6445/civ. 0620-280-6445, or e-mail [john.scalia@hq.1perscom.army.mil](mailto:john.scalia@hq.1perscom.army.mil).

### 6th ASG Has New Custodial Contractor

The 6th Area Support Group changed its custodial contractor Jan 1. The Contracting Office is in the process of documenting instances where service during the holidays by the previous contractor was insufficient. If you received poor service during this time or need assistance with any custodial issue, contact Mr. Russom at [russomy@6asg.army.mil](mailto:russomy@6asg.army.mil).

## CHILDREN & TEENS

### YMCA Art Contest Deadline Nears

The theme of the 2003 Armed Services YMCA Art Contest is "My Military Family." Kindergartners through sixth graders of active and reserve component military families in all the services can enter to win a \$500 bond, and Department of Defense and Coast Guard civilians' children may enter in an honorary category for a \$100 bond.

Children should draw their military family in color on 8.5-by-11-inch paper and include the following on the back of each entry: student's name, grade and age; address; phone number or a parent's e-mail address; parents' names; service affiliation; rank of military member; military installation; and school's name if the child attends a DOD school.

Mail entries to Armed Services YMCA, Attn: Art Contest, 6359 Walker Lane, Suite 200, Alexandria, Va. 22310. Entries should be postmarked no later than Jan. 27. For more info visit the Armed Services YMCA Web site at [www.asymca.org](http://www.asymca.org), or call 703-313-9600. E-mail queries may be sent to [militaryfamilyweek@asymca.org](mailto:militaryfamilyweek@asymca.org).

### Scholarships Available

The Stuttgart Community Scholarship, sponsored by the Officer and Civilian Spouses' Club, is available to officer, enlisted, or civilian personnel dependents enrolled at Patch High School, Stuttgart International School or an

accredited home school program in the Stuttgart military community. Members of the Class of 2003 who are interested may contact Mr. Engel at Patch High School or e-mail Scholarships@artneko.com. Applications are due by Feb. 20.

### Job Shadow Day Set For Jan. 31

National Job Shadow Day kicks off Jan. 31. Job shadowing is a year-long national effort to enrich the lives of students by acquainting them with the world of work through on-the-job experiences and a carefully crafted school curriculum that ties academics to the workplace. National job shadowing is a coordinated effort of America's Promise, Junior Achievement and the U.S. Department of Labor. Students observe not only job characteristics and responsibilities, but also learn what each profession requires on a day-to-day basis. Job Shadow also lets students learn first-hand what it takes to make it in their fields of interest from the people who know best – working professionals. For info visit [www.jobshadow.org](http://www.jobshadow.org).

### DoDEA Gives Special Education Funds

The Department of Defense Education Activity recently was awarded \$56.5 million to underwrite improvements in its special education program. The resources will provide funding to fill and maintain 114 special education positions for the establishment of assessment teams. As a result of this funding, schools and parents will see enhanced instructional programs for students with disabilities through increased time for collaboration between teachers and paraprofessionals, the delivery of services and instruction and participation in professional development opportunities. Additional curriculum materials, including assistive technology will also be made available in classrooms.

### SAHS Upcoming Events And Trips

The Stuttgart Area Home Schoolers are hosting a "Trip Around the World" event Jan. 27, 6 to 8 p.m. in the International Baptist Church, Stuttgart. The monthly meeting will be held immediately following. For info call Karen Boyd at 0715-788-0514.

Upcoming SAHS field trips include the Farmer's War Museum in Böblingen Feb. 4. The fee is €3 for adults and €1 for children. For info call Laurene Hillebrand at 0703-141-2147.

## EDUCATION & TRAINING

### ARC Offers Classes For Everyone

American Red Cross offers **Community First Aid and Safety**, Jan. 25, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.,

**\$30; Managing Stress**, Jan. 29, 7 to 8 p.m., free; **Volunteer Orientation**, Feb. 4, 1 to 3 p.m., free; **Super Babysitter Training**, Feb. 3 to 6, 4 to 6 p.m., and Feb. 8, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., \$30. To register call 431-2812/civ. 07031-15-818.

### ISM Upcoming Classes

Upcoming Information Service Management classes include **Official Mail and Distribution**, Jan. 29; **Records Keeping and Freedom of Information Act**, Feb. 19; and **Correspondence Management**, Feb. 26. Classes are open to all 6th Area Support Group staff officers, assigned and attached units. For info visit [www.stuttgart.army.mil/52sig/training](http://www.stuttgart.army.mil/52sig/training).

### Army Community Service Classes

ACS is offering **Stuttgart Newcomer's Orientation**, Feb. 3 to 7; **Finding Employment in Stuttgart** workshop, Jan. 28, 10 a.m. to noon; **Hands on Resumix**, Jan. 28, 2 to 4 p.m.; **Stress Management**, Jan. 28, 10 a.m. to noon; **German Conversation and Culture**, Thursdays, 6 to 8 p.m.; For info or to register for a class call 430-7176/civ. 0711-680-7176.

### IMO Class Scheduled On Kelley

An Information Management Officer class is scheduled Jan. 27 to 31 on Kelley Barracks. All personnel are authorized to attend this training. If you wish to attend, go to the UATP Web site and request the class. Ensure that you have your supervisor's permission before requesting the class. The classes will be filled on a priority basis: IMOs will be registered first; all others first come first serve. For info visit [www.uatp.hqusaureur.army.mil](http://www.uatp.hqusaureur.army.mil).

## HOBBIES & CRAFTS

### Gussy Goose Craft Store

**Valentine Paper Molds**, Jan. 25, 10 a.m. to noon; **Kids' Clay Day**, Jan. 24, 10 a.m. to noon, ages eight and up; **Beginning Scrapbooking**, Jan. 29, 6 to 9 p.m.; **Crop 'Til You Drop**, Jan. 31, 6 p.m. to midnight

The Gussy Goose offers freshly-cut roses to delight your Valentine. Pre-order and pre-pay at the Gussy Goose no later than Feb. 7. Special orders are available. Pick up Feb. 13 or 14. Delivery available on Patch Barracks. For info call 430-5270/civ. 0711-680-5270.

### Robinson Barracks Art & Photo Center

**Art and Photo Classes** Photography, Drawing and Painting, Clay and Ceramics, Textile

and Matting and Framing. Studio hours are Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 3 to 9 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. For info call 420-6038/civ. 0711-819-6038.

### **Patch Arts & Craft Center**

**Valentine Day Frame**, Feb. 8, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., ages 8 & up only; **Valentine Pillow**, Feb. 11, 3 to 4:30 p.m., **Acrylic Painting**, Feb. 6, 11, 13, 18 and 20, 6 to 8 p.m. For info call 430-7109/civ. 0711-680-7109.

## **JOB CORNER**

### **OCSC Spring Bazaar Needs Volunteers**

The Officer and Civilian Spouses' Club is looking for volunteers to help out with the annual Spring Bazaar. This year, volunteers are needed before the bazaar for set up March 17 to 20, during the event March 21 to 23 and for morning cleanup March 24. Volunteer hours are flexible and the whole community is invited to help out with this year's bazaar. For info call Laurie Menzel at 0711-440-8424, or e-mail Lmenzel@att.net.

### **Citizen Seeks Writer/Editor**

The Citizen Newspaper is looking for an experienced writer/editor to fill a contract position. The contract is for an average of 20 to 30 hours per week. Applicants must have a bachelor's degree and a minimum of two years experience. Pay is based on experience. For info or to apply call Hugh McBride at 421-2046/civ. 0711-729-2046.

### **PHS Needs Substitutes**

Patch High School is in need of substitute teachers. Anyone interested in becoming a substitute should call Karen Mitchem at 430-8586/civ. 0711-680-8586.

### **ACS Seeking Tour Guide And Teacher**

Army Community Service is looking for a volunteer to guide newcomers on a walking tour of Vaihingen. The tour will last approximately four hours and will take place two Tuesday afternoons per month (weekly in the summer).

ACS is also looking for a volunteer to teach English as a Second Language one evening per week. Those interested should contact Michele Molek at 0711-680-7176 for more information.

### **NAF Positions Available**

The Nonappropriated Funds Personnel Office is accepting applications from U.S. citizens for a cashier-checker at the Robinson Barracks

Community Club, \$5.15 per hour. A custodial worker is needed at the Patch Barracks Community Club, \$6.72 per hour. Interested applicants can access the Web site at [www.chrma.hqusaureur.army.mil](http://www.chrma.hqusaureur.army.mil), download forms at [www.stuttgart.army.mil](http://www.stuttgart.army.mil) under services employment or stop by NAF Personnel, Bldg. 3315, Room 102, Kelley Barracks. For info call 421-2191/civ. 0711-729-2191.

### **Community Post Seeks Editor**

The 6th Area Support Group Public Affairs Office is looking for a contract editor for its weekly publication, the Stuttgart Community Post. Applicants must possess a bachelor's degree and experience in writing a community bulletin. The contract is for 20 hours per week, \$10 to \$12 per hours based on experience and education. For more info call Kathy Ladwig at 421-2000/civ. 0711-729-2000.

## **LEISURE TIME**

### **Celebrate The Super Bowl**

A Super Bowl party will be held Jan. 26 beginning at 8 p.m. at Slider's All Ranks Lounge in the Swabian Special Events Center. Come enjoy the game with two large screen TVs, surround sound and lots of food, drinks and fun.

The Robinson Barracks Community Club is also hosting a party for the big game Jan 26, 11 p.m. to 6 a.m. The Masons will be providing hot wings, french fries and ribs for a small charge.

### **SSEC Hosts All-Ranks Morale Call**

The United States European Command Deputy Commander and Chief of Staff will host their first all-ranks Morale Call Jan. 24 at 5:30 p.m. in the Swabian Special Events Center. This special event is open to all enlisted, officers, civilians, contractors and their families and friends. Music will be provided by DJ Spike starting at 8 p.m. Come out and meet the new bosses, enjoy great camaraderie, eat free finger food, enjoy plenty to drink and take advantage of great dance music.

### **Winter Time Means Ski Trip Time**

**Outdoor Recreation** on Panzer Kaserne is offering a one-day ski/snowboard trip to Oberstdorf, Germany, Feb. 1. The cost is \$35 and includes transportation, equipment and instruction. A trip to Taxenbach, Austria, is set for the Feb. 14 to 17. The cost is €300 and includes ski/snowboard equipment, transportation, three

nights lodging, half-board and a three-day ski pass. For info call 431-2774/civ. 07031-15-774.

**The Patch Ski Club** heads to Maria Alm, Austria, Jan. 31 to Feb. 2. The cost is €180. They also travel to Crans Montana, Switzerland, Feb. 13 to 17, €340, and Zell am See, Austria, €230. For info visit [www.psc-ski.org](http://www.psc-ski.org).

### Get Moving: Things To Do In Stuttgart

The Stuttgart Community offers a wide variety of fun and interesting activities. Looking for a new way to get a kick out of exercise? Try martial arts. Trent Russell offers classes in karate, jui-jitsu and self-defense. For info call 0160-437-2263.

Don't let the cold weather stop you from swimming. There are several indoor pools in the area. Try the Sindelfingen Badezentrum, 07031-860-20, or the Böblingen Mineraltherme, 07031-226-028.

If basketball, volleyball, softball or flag football is your thing, enter your unit and join the competition. For info call Desmond Thompson at 431-2724/civ. 07031-15-724.

### Weekly Entertainment In Local Clubs

**Slider's All Ranks Lounge:** DJ Spike spins dance tunes, Jan. 24, 8 p.m. Steve Reeves from the SI Centrum sings Irish tunes and more Feb. 7, 7:30 p.m.

**The Back Lot:** Charlie Washington spins R & B, Jan. 24 at 9 p.m. Devils and Sons plays Feb. 7, 9 p.m.

**The Kelley Club:** Every Wednesday is Karaoke at 9 p.m. Every Friday night is customer appreciation night starting at 4:30 p.m.

**Robinson Barracks Club:** Charlie Washington spins Jan. 31, 9 p.m., and American Pie returns Feb. 7, 9 p.m.

### AAFES Movie Schedule

Movies and times are subject to change. For info call the theaters individually. A synopsis of each movie is available through a link at [www.stuttgart.army.mil/recreat.htm](http://www.stuttgart.army.mil/recreat.htm).

#### Patch Theater 0711-680-5310

Jan. 24	7:30 p.m.	Catch Me If You Can	PG-13
Jan. 25	5 p.m.	Catch Me If You Can	PG-13
	9 p.m.	The Ring	PG-13
Jan. 26	3 p.m.	Catch Me If You Can	PG-13
	7 p.m.	I Spy	PG-13
Jan. 27	7 p.m.	Catch Me If You Can	PG-13

Jan. 28	7 p.m.	I Spy	PG-13
Jan. 29	7 p.m.	The Ring	PG-13
Jan. 30	7 p.m.	Punch Drunk Love	R

#### RB Theater 0711-819-6137

Jan. 24	7 p.m.	Brown Sugar	PG-13
Jan. 25	7 p.m.	The Transporter	PG-13
Jan. 28	7 p.m.	Catch Me If You Can	PG-13

**Corso Theater** (Hauptstr. 6, Stuttgart-Vaihingen): For info in English and German call 0711-734-916. For e-mail notification of film schedules, locations and specials, send a message to [request@corso-kino.com](mailto:request@corso-kino.com), with "subscribe" in the message line.

**Europa Theater** (Konistraße 58, Stuttgart): For info in English and German call 0711-299-1974.

## TRADING POST

Submissions are subject to editor's discretion and appear on a space-available basis for two weeks.

#### For Sale/Vehicles:

'85 Audi GT Coupe, manual transmission, P/W, A/C, sun roof. Passed inspection in May '02. 111K, maintenance records available, \$700. Call Robert Torrey at 430-5936 (d), 0711-686-8528 (e), or e-mail [prpdude@yahoo.com](mailto:prpdude@yahoo.com).

'87 BMW 730, European specs. Excellent second car. 4 door, automatic, power door locks and windows. This car has been maintained by BMW with maintenance records. \$2,000 OBO. Call Mike Dilt at 430-8125 (d) or 0711-687-2340 (e).

'92 Dodge Caravan, seats seven, removable benches, AC, PS, PB, seat covers (seats have been covered since the van was brand new). Gray on gray, very clean, inside and out; a great family car. \$2,500 OBO. 0715-417-7352 or 0178-658-7505.

'91 Eagle Talon, met blue, 2.0 ltr turbo, PB/PS/AT/AC/ABS, power windows/locks, pop-up sunroof, AM/FM stereo cassette, cruise control/tilt steering, U.S. specs, 100k, \$3,000 OBO. Call 0177-735-2712, or e-mail [gbheat@hotmail.com](mailto:gbheat@hotmail.com).

'96 Ford Probe GT, red, great condition, low mileage, loaded, asking \$6,500 OBO. Call 0711-613-282 or 0177-286-1436.

'97 Honda Civic, LX, silver, 100K, automatic, power windows and doors, cruise/tilt, AC, \$5K OBO. Call 0715-766-8862.

'92 Jaguar XJ6 "Diamler Edition" Metallic silver, black leather, mahogany dash and interior accents, PS/PB, power sun roof, cruise, trip computer, heated seats & glass, power seats & memory, power windows,

automatic, extra winter tires, built in cellular phone microphone system, keyless entry, alarm & so much more! A wonderfully smooth & classy ride. \$5,500 OBO. Call 0715-4177-352 or 0178-658-7505.

'93 Renault 19, new alternator, transmission, great interior and exterior. \$300. Call 07031-269-787, or e-mail delonscottw@yahoo.com.

'95 Saab 900 SE HB, Automatic, V6 2.5Ltr, Blk, U.S. Specs, 73K miles, keyless entry, power everything, AC, leather package, 10-Disk CD changer, air bags, factory alarm. Looks great. Runs great. Made for the Autobahn. \$4,500 OBO. Call Steve (H) 0711-120-7807, or e-mail stuttsteve@yahoo.com.

'88 Volkswagen Golf, red, very reliable, new brakes \$850. Call Chris Harris at 430-5644 or 0179-139-3256.

'93 Volvo 850 GLT Sedan US Specs. 172K miles, burgundy with tan interior, moon roof, spoiler, ABS, airbags, aluminum wheels, power windows, driver seat, cassette. Reliable driver, manual transmission, perfect for German roads and Autobahn. Complete Volvo service documented. 2003 Volvo purchase forces sale. \$3,700. Call 430-5468 (d), or 07159-939-707 (e).

#### **For Sale/Miscellaneous:**

Five solidly built wooden schrank (clothing bar and shelf inside) \$75 each; nine-drawer solid oak dresser (dark brown, on wheels) \$170; two 220v household fans (one small, one medium) \$10 each; 220v rechargeable lawn trimmer (Gardena accu-system) \$40. Call 07031-417846, or e-mail currie@bunt.com.

Whitney upright piano with bench. Asking \$500. Call 0711-1816-0485, or e-mail tntntj@t-online.de.

Compaq iPAW Pocket PC with case, \$200; Palm V Pilot with case \$100; Baby stroller/jogger, heavy duty, single seat, \$40. Call 07457-731739, or e-mail at tjfarleyjr@hotmail.com.

Items in new or very good condition: two (220v) space heaters \$5 each; food dehydrator with extra trays and recipe book (110v) \$15; Gerry baby backpack (light weight frame) \$15; Deluxe double breast pump with case and bottles (110v) \$20; Evenflo infant car seat/carrier with detachable base \$10; V Tech RymeTime activity table (new) \$15; Fisher Price Ball Blast Tower (in box) \$10; other assorted toddler toys and items. Call Denise at 0715-788-0613.

Almost new (bought 2 months ago, used 3 times) 170 cm HEAD CYBER X50 all-mountain "advanced" skis with Tyrolia SL110 bindings. Worth \$ 500/asking \$250; '01 pair of women's ALPINA CL-4 Discovery ski boots (women size 7.5 - 8) used 10-12 times. Worth \$150-200/asking \$100; Skis and boots for \$300 together. Call Pat or Martina at 0711-680-6166 (d) or 0715-233-0555 (e).

Solid oak futon frame. \$300. Like new. Paid \$800 for it in 1997. Pad, pillows and covers come with it for free. Call 07152 35-2662.

One white patio table and four chairs, with blue and yellow reversible cushions. \$50. Call 07152-352-885.

German baby stroller with two body pieces \$200; German washing machine \$200; German hoseless dryer \$150; two Siemens S35 Handys, dual band, \$100 each. Call Chris Harris at 430-5644 or 0179-139-3256.

Cell phone, Siemens M35i with D-1 XtraCard Chip, complete with charger, box and all instructions (German and English), less than six months old, \$80; refrigerator, LG model GR 282 MF, two years old, medium size fridge for single soldier or small family, \$120. Call Kati or Brad at 0711-810-4332, 0175-927-0663, 0711-882-2148 (after Jan 25), or e-mail tolzerman@yahoo.com.

Complete set of "I Love Lucy" VCR tapes and book, \$500 OBO; complete set of original "Star Trek" VCR tapes, \$500 OBO. Call 0715-898-0878.

1 large, soft-side, rolling suitcase, Samsonite, used twice, very good condition \$140; 2 small lamps, \$5 each; Nordic track with stair-stepper, \$50; mirror, 47.25" X 14.5", no frame, fits back-of-door, \$15; black Gortex Matterhorn boots, worn 3 times, size 8M, \$40. Call 0711-683-959.

Sofa/Hide-a-bed, great for guests. Large, overstuffed, solid teal color, \$150; antique black upright piano, made in Brussels, \$800; oak sunburst round pedestal dining set, four chairs, built-in extension to make it oval, \$500; Kettler exercise glider, ski-like action, \$150; cordless DSL phone, \$40. Call 07152-352-885.

Baby bath tub, new, for 1-6 months, \$15; baby stroller, American made, sturdy, reliable, new, fully assembled, \$40; baby changer, 5 drawers, 1 big storage space, comes with changing mat and fully assembled, \$80; ATX computer case, dual power, mother board installed w/AMD 266 processor/fan, over 64 MB RAM, CDROM. Also comes with keyboard/Mouse and Polk audio speakers. Fully assembled, \$120. Call 07031-269-787, or e-mail: delonscottw@yahoo.com.

Deutsche Telekom telephone and high speed DSL Internet equipment. Purchased 10 months ago for about \$130 will sell for \$65. Includes installation expertise. Call Steve (H) 0711-120-7807, or e-mail stuttsteve@yahoo.com.

8.5 cubic foot freezer, 220V, \$200 (\$800 new); portable air conditioner 220V, \$200 (\$500 new); sky digital decoder and separate antenna \$300 (\$550 new); AFRTS decoder \$150 (\$585 new); small 220V appliances \$10-\$30 each: inside bbq/broiler (new), electric meat slicer (new), hand mixer, toaster, coffeemaker, 2 small heaters, radiant heater; assorted houseplants, all sizes \$2-10; and assorted garden tools.

Must go, make offer. Call 0711-792-238 after 6 p.m. or leave a message.

Must sell: 220 appliances, baby items, general items. Will make a great package deal or sell individually. Braun Green Coffee Pot \$10; Braun Cappuccino/Coffee Machine \$25; vacuum, all attachments, like new \$30; crock Pot \$10; large family hot plate/skillet \$25; indoor grill \$30; upright Deep Freeze \$30; Extension Cords, transformers, \$5-\$60; Braun Smart Iron \$10; Snugli \$5, baby walker \$15; high chair \$15; Samsung Fax machine/answering machine/copy machine \$40; Sony Digital Camera \$350; Canon photo copier \$50; DVDs, \$6 each; "Cool Air" fan system with remote \$20; fans, \$5-10; Two 4-drawer Metal File Cabinets \$20 each; Bosch Hammer Drill \$30; Black & Decker Black Auto Staple Gun \$5; hedge trimmer \$25; blower/mulcher \$40; Little Tikes Draft Table/Art Desk with Swivel Chair \$35; Little Tikes Kitchen \$30; toy chest \$20; Barbie Pink Auto Ferrari with charger \$30; wire storage racks, \$3-10; two behind door shoe racks \$5; Pari Boy Auto Inhaler machine (used for two weeks) \$50; Tommy Armour golf clubs (Irons) & Titleist Golf bag, golf cart (used once), K2 Snow Board & Carry Case (used two days). Karcher steam cleaning vacuum system worth €400+, asking \$100. Carpet shampooer/compressed iron machine, \$75. Items are in excellent condition like new or new condition and all quality brands, much more available. Must sell. Will make discounted group prices. For more info call 07154-177-352 or 0178-658-7505.

Simmons Toddler Crib, dark brown, includes mattress. In good condition. \$35 OBO. Call 0711-341-9309.

### **For Rent**

Two story penthouse, 3 bedrooms, 260 square meters, open chimney, sauna, gym with solarium, 3 garage spaces, beautiful kitchen, huge living room. Only 2k from Patch Barracks. €2,700 complete. Call Collette Gerber at 0711-677-0880 or 0172-766-6336.

Stunning vacation house in Italy situated between two vineyards on sunny mountainside. Cheap winter and summer rates for vacation in beautiful Tuscany/Umbria region. Winter weekly rates at \$550 and summer rates at \$850, including large pool and tennis court. For photos by e-mail, call 0162-746-9191.

### **Employment**

Looking for a part time job? The Gregory Agency, an AIU auto insurance agency, is now hiring. Administration skills are a plus. Call Saberina at 0711-687-3096.

### **Wanted**

Looking for occasional after-school (2:30 to 5 p.m.) babysitting on Patch Barracks for a seven-year-old boy and five-year-old girl living off-post/attending Patch Elementary School. Also looking for occasional overnight babysitting on Patch or preferably at our home near Leonberg, while parents are TDY (very infrequent) for three to four days at a time. Please contact Pat or Martina at 0711-680-6166 (d) or 07152-330-555 (e).

Wheel chair accessible housing: 1 or 2 bedroom apartment or house close to Patch or Panzer. Will pay a finder's fee. Want to move in by Feb. 15. Call 0711-678-4164 after 6 p.m. weekdays, or e-mail araymond36@hotmail.com.

Information about a 'hit and run' Jan. 20 in front of the bank on Panzer Kaserne, building 2953, between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. Someone hit the driver's side of my car, causing extensive damage, and left the scene. Call 431-2436/civ. 07031-15-436 or 07031-223-012.

### **Miscellaneous**

Evening German classes: small groups, experienced teachers. All levels welcome. 12 lessons for €195; register before Feb. 10 and receive a 10-percent discount. Classes begin Feb. 24. For info call the IMS Institut at 0711-234-8456, or e-mail ims.institut@online.de.

### **Lost and Found**

I lost a ring sometime after Dec. 30, probably somewhere on Patch. It is a ladies gold ring with a raised flower (supposed to be a rose) that is black inside with one single diamond in the middle. Reward. If found, call Dave at 434-5039 or Sherry at 0745-773-2934.

The four multicoloured magnetic fishes that were walked away from my office desk in Tricare in December have not made it back yet. If you know their whereabouts, please be so kind as to help them swim back, I miss them. You could put them in an envelope and give them to a colleague in the Stuttgart Clinic, or bring them right back to me. Call Gudrun Kaper at 430-8625/civ. 0711-680-8625.

Lost boys blue and grey OP jacket. Left at the Patch Elementary multi purpose room Jan. 9. Please call 07052-934-4496.

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